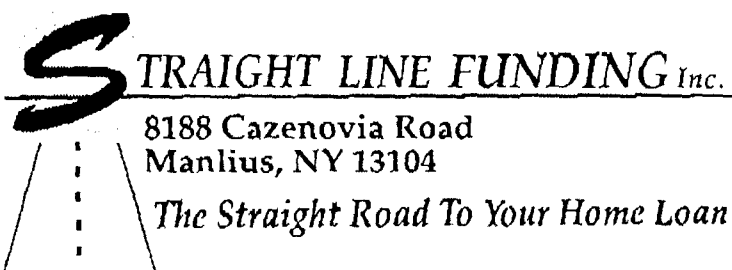
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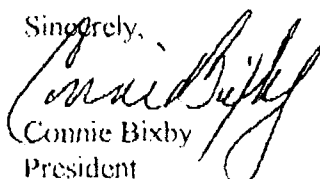
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This is in regards to the U.S. vs. Microsoft Case Settlement issue, we wish to express our opinion.

We feel that due to the present state of our economy, this case should be settled immediately. The taxpayers have been forced to spend too much on this case already. There are other more important issues to spend our tax money on.

Microsoft has been a great benefit to consumers with excellent products and lower prices. Let's leave something that has already proven successful alone.

Sincerely,


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